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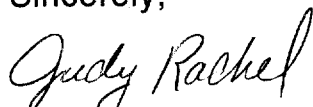
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Dear Commissioner Henney,

I am very careful about the food I eat. I choose to pay more for foods that I know are organic because my health is paramount to me and I am what I eat. It is my right as a responsible individual in this democracy to know if the food I am eating has been genetically altered. I will not consume genetically engineered food that is my choice and my right.

In May 1998 a lawsuit was filed challenging the FDA's policy not to require labels on transgenic foods. I support this lawsuit. I demand safety testing and complete and prominent labels. The FDA's mandate is to protect public health. Please provide consumers with accurate information about the foods we are being offered for consumption.

Sincerely,



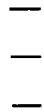
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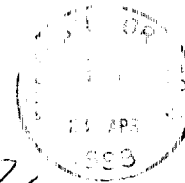
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